

## CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A computer system comprising:  
a display housing comprising a display and a CPU;  
a base comprising a keyboard; and  
a base flap pivotally attached to the display housing and pivotally attached to the base flap so that the display housing may be oriented to rest on the base with the keyboard exposed for use with the display.
2. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein the display housing further comprises connectors for external peripherals.
3. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein the display housing further comprises controls to control speaker volume and display brightness.
4. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein the display housing further comprises indicators for at least one of battery power remaining, hard drive access, and power mode.
5. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein the display housing further comprises a speaker portion, a microphone and a power button.
6. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein the display housing further comprises an embedded wireless antenna.
7. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein the base further comprises communication ports.
8. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein the base flap is attached so that it may be wrapped around the display housing.

9. The computer system of Claim 8, wherein the base flap is removably attached to the display housing using a latch.
10. The computer system of Claim 9 wherein the latch permits the base flap to pivotally rotate against the base.
11. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein the display housing further comprises a locking tab to removably engage the base from the tablet.
12. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein when the display housing is oriented to rest on the base, the base flap and the base fold under the display housing with a portion of the base flap protruding.
13. The computer system of Claim 1, wherein the base may be oriented to cover the display, the computer system further comprising a second display accessible when the primary display is covered by the base.
14. The computer system of Claim 13, wherein the second display is an always-on display to provide information to a user.
15. The computer system of Claim 13, further comprising a scroll contact proximate the display for scrolling and selecting, the scroll contact being accessible when the primary display is covered by the base.
16. The computer system of Claim 13, wherein the second display may receive input data directly by on-screen writing.
17. The computer system of Claim 13, further comprising a speaker portion proximate the second display to provide sound signals.
18. A computer system comprising:

a display housing including a tablet, the tablet having an underlay to receive signals input by a pen;

a base to protect the tablet, the base including a keyboard; and

a base flap to removably attach the base to the display housing.

19. The computer system of Claim 18, wherein the base flap may be wrapped around the display housing.

20. The computer system of Claim 18, wherein the base flap is removably attached to the display housing by a latch.

21. The computer system of Claim 20, wherein the latch permits the base flap to pivotally rotate against the base.

22. The computer system of Claim 18, further comprising a mechanism to removably engage the display housing against the base.

23. The computer system of Claim 18, wherein the display housing further comprises a locking tap to removably engage the base and the display housing.

24. The computer system of Claim 18, wherein the base flap and the base may fold under the display housing with a portion of the base flap protruding.

25. The computer system of Claim 18, wherein the display housing further comprises a pen receptacle to receive the pen.

26. The computer system of Claim 18, wherein the display housing further comprises a CPU.

27. The computer system of Claim 18, wherein the display housing further comprises connectors for external peripherals.

28. The computer system of Claim 18, wherein the display housing further comprises a speaker portion, a microphone, and a power button.

29. The computer system of Claim 18, wherein the tablet is on a first surface of the display housing, the computer system further comprising a second display on a second opposite surface of the display housing accessible when the base is protecting the tablet.

30. The computer system of Claim 29, further comprising a scroll contact proximate the second display for scrolling and selecting, the scroll contact being accessible when the tablet is covered by the base.

31. A computer system comprising:  
a display housing comprising a display;  
a base comprising a keyboard to cover the display and the keyboard in a folded position; and  
a base flap pivotally attached to the display housing and pivotally attached to the base flap so that the base and the display housing may be pulled apart from the folded position and the base flap may be folded between the base and the display housing to a tablet position exposing the display and covering the keyboard.

32. The computer system of Claim 31, wherein the base and the display housing may be pulled apart from the folded position to a laptop position so that the display housing may be oriented to rest on the base with the keyboard exposed for use with the display.

33. The computer system of Claim 31, wherein the base and the display housing may be pulled apart from the folded position to a laptop position so that the

display housing may rest on the base, with the base flap providing support for the display housing.

34. The computer system of Claim 33, wherein the display housing may be locked to the base in the laptop position.

35. The computer system of Claim 33, wherein the base flap is removably attached to the display housing.

36. A computer system comprising:  
a display housing having a first surface having a first display and a second surface opposite the first surface having a second display; and  
a base pivotally attached to the display housing to alternately protect the first display in a closed position and expose the first display in an open position.

37. The computer system of Claim 36, wherein the display housing further comprises a scroll contact for scrolling up or down and selecting using the second display.

38. The computer system of Claim 36, wherein the display housing further comprises a return button for navigating backwards using the second display.

39. The computer system of Claim 36, wherein the second display may also input data directly by on-screen writing.

40. The computer system of Claim 36, wherein the second display operates while the computer system is in the folded position.

41. The computer system of Claim 36, wherein the display housing further comprises a speaker portion for use with the second display.

42. The computer system of Claim 36, wherein the display housing further comprises a CPU, peripherals, interfaces, and a chipset.

43. The computer system of Claim 36, wherein the base further comprises a keyboard accessible in the open position.

44. The computer system of Claim 36, wherein the base is removably attached to the display housing using a base flap.